

MINUTES
SPIRITUAL LIFE & WORSHIP COMMITTEE
June 13, 2023

Present: Diane Vollmer, Debbie Wondra, Marilyn Steger, Evie Mather, Marge Cramer, Fr. Joe

Excused:

Old Business:

Pentecost—services went well

Memorial Day Mass in St. Mary's Cemetery had a nice attendance. The weather was beautiful.

New Business:

Veneration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at St. Theresa's at 6:30 on June 22nd. Committee talked about what is needed from sacristans, servers, etc.

Outdoor Mass—July 23rd. Save the date Information is in bulletin. Informational page will be put in bulletin the week of July 8th. Meat and buns ordered. Everyone knows what their jobs are for the day. Committee will meet on July 18th to finalize everything.

Anointing of the sick will take place sometime in October at St. Mary's. More discussion at Sept. meeting.

Mass of Remembrance will take place on Nov. 2 at St. Andrew's. More discussion at Sept. meeting.

Need more communication as to what is needed for funerals, weddings.

Discussion followed on purpose of this committee.

Pastor's Report:

Sacristans, servers, schedulers have been doing super work.

Bishop Haines will be celebrant for Dec. 3rd Feast Day Celebration.

Parish Council Report: none

Other Business

Distribution with the cup will be put on hold until Sept. when the new schedules for distributors come out. Debbie will get questions answered on how many cups will be

needed at St. Andrew's.

St. Mary's Feast Day Celebration will take place on Sun., Dec. 3. Bishop Jeff Haines will be the celebrant. Fr. Joe gave us names of people on the planning committee. The team is Jeff Bauer, Katie Feucht, Sue Fanello and Mark and Pam Fox. We will ask if our committee is needed to help.

Mystery of Faith Booklet: No time to discuss

Day of Reflection for Ministries—on hold

Next Committee Meeting: Tues., July 18 6:30 p.m. Diane's house-720 Forest Drive, Mayville, to finalize the outdoor mass

Goals:

1. Encourage Prayer & Worship members to attend workshops offered by Archdiocese, LARCSWORC and others that will help us to understand liturgy and effectively plan for the seasons.
2. Environment – continue to work on this to make worship space welcoming and enhance worship experience.
3. Music – continue to develop this ministry
4. Youth – look for ways to include youth in liturgy
5. Commissioning of Ministers
6. Be on top of what's happening in our world and be aware of the service aspect of reaching out to others, whether in prayer opportunities in church, collections of food, clothing, money, etc
7. Outreach